

Claims

The following is a copy of Applicant's claims that identifies language being added with underlining ("___") and language being deleted with strikethrough ("—"), as is applicable:

1. (Currently amended) A method for notifying a user as to an inadequate color gamut, comprising ~~the steps of~~:

responsive to a print command, accessing via a network imaging data to be printed;

identifying colors represented by the imaging data;

comparing the identified colors with a color gamut of a printing device that is to print the imaging data; and

notifying the user if one or more of the identified colors is not included in the color gamut of the printing device.

2. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein ~~the step of~~ accessing imaging data comprises accessing color information contained within the imaging data.

3. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein ~~the step of~~ accessing imaging data comprises retrieving the imaging data.

4. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein ~~the step of~~ accessing imaging data comprises accessing imaging data through use of an imaging extension comprising one or more application programming instructions.

5. (Currently amended) The method of claim 4, wherein the imaging extension comprises part of a user browser and is called by generic access instructions downloaded to the user browser from a web-based printing service.

6. (Currently amended) The method of claim 4, wherein the imaging extension comprises part of a ~~network-based~~ web-based printing service.

7. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein ~~the step of~~ identifying colors comprises identifying a Pantone color identification included in the accessed imaging data.

8. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein ~~the step of~~ identifying colors comprises identifying a set of intensity values included in the accessed imaging data that represent an absolute color defined by a color profile.

9. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein the set of intensity values comprises at least one of RGB, CMY, and YCC.

10. (Original) The method of claim 8, wherein the color profile comprises an ICC profile.

11. (Currently amended) The method of claim 1, wherein ~~the step of~~ notifying the user comprises presenting a printing warning to the user that includes a message that explains that the printing device does not support a desired color.

12. (Currently amended) A system for notifying a user as to an inadequate color gamut, comprising:

means responsive to a print command for accessing via a network imaging data to be printed;

means for identifying colors represented by the imaging data;

means for comparing the identified colors with a color gamut of a printing device that is to print the imaging data; and

means for notifying the user if one or more of the identified colors is not included in the color gamut of the printing device.

13. (Currently amended) The system of claim 12, wherein the means for accessing imaging data comprises an imaging extension comprising one or more application programming instructions.

14. (Currently amended) The system of claim 12, wherein the imaging extension comprises part of a user browser and is called by generic access instructions downloaded to the user browser from a web-based printing service.

15. (Currently amended) The system of claim 12, wherein the imaging extension comprises part of a ~~network-based~~ web-based printing service.

16. (Currently amended) The system of claim 12, wherein the means for identifying colors comprise means for identifying a Pantone color information included in the imaging data.

17. (Currently amended) The system of claim 12, wherein the means for identifying colors comprise means for identifying a set of intensity values included in the imaging data that represent an absolute color defined by a color profile.

18. (Original) The system of claim 17, wherein the set of intensity values comprises at least one of RGB, CMY, and YCC.

19. (Original) The system of claim 17, wherein the color profile comprises an ICC profile.

20. (Currently amended) A network-based service that is configured to notify a user as to an inadequate color gamut condition, comprising:

logic configured to, responsive to a print command, access via a network imaging data to be printed;

logic configured to identify colors represented by the imaging data;

logic configured to compare the identified colors with a color gamut of a printing device that is to print the imaging data; and

logic configured to notify the user if one or more of the identified colors is not included in the color gamut of the printing device.

21. (Currently amended) The service of claim 20, wherein the logic configured to access imaging data comprises an imaging extension comprising one or more application programming instructions.

22. (Currently amended) The service of claim 21, wherein the imaging extension comprises part of a user browser and is called by generic access instructions downloaded to the user browser from a web-based printing service.

23. (Currently amended) The service of claim 21, wherein the imaging extension comprises part of the ~~network-based~~ web-based printing service.

24. (Currently amended) A ~~printing device~~ printer, comprising:
a processing device; and
memory including logic configured to access imaging data to be printed, logic configured to identify colors represented by the imaging data, logic configured to

compare the identified colors with a color gamut of a ~~printing device~~ the printer, and logic configured to notify the user if one or more of the identified colors is not included in the color gamut of the ~~printing device~~ printer.

25. (Currently amended) The ~~device~~ printer of claim 24, wherein the logic configured to access imaging data comprises an imaging extension comprising one or more application programming instructions.

26. (Canceled)

27. (Currently amended) The ~~device~~ printer of claim 25, wherein the imaging extension comprises part of a network-based service hosted by the ~~printing device~~ printer.

28. (New) The service of claim 20, wherein the service is hosted by a network-accessible printer.